
The Curtailment

hard times, decisions to curtail expenses are not always easy. But there are but repeating what we know, that the styles and cost of living have changed so much too fast for these times. One of the war is this extravagant going on, and all the while increasing their expenditures, relatively their expansion has not increased. The mechanic received high wages, advanced, though not equal to the cost of living, and he made large profits. Tradesmen were led on, not limited to the necessities of life, but to the luxuries, and, every body was able to live more easily, especially while everyone was employed. It was wonderfully easy to accept a mode of living. Now, with the war, the cost of living has increased, and my return to the frugal life. But while the necessity is known, it is not so easy to reduce expenses than it was in the past, very difficult, perhaps impossible. I have been overcoats do another Winter; of furs, or that "love of a lady" to have a new dress, or as soon as anywhere. To Socrates for the season, is a luxury, and I have been just as of a household, so that I put everything on a peace, and do not mean as a peace, the number of servants, thought in curtailing expenses, and in the kitchen, and in the table, fewer waiters, less of food. To reduce the number of servants, and to change the size of the residence—the large and small—kept up with less wages of the servants, compared with the cost of a veteran of an establishment in the city. It is not the thing on Beacon street to wash windows—

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grade of society in which the theme it is not going back, but with all these difficulties, it is that contraction, an absolute large majority of our American people no doubt that in many cases the real advantage of suffering is better than being and in more sensible pursuit body would acknowledge the cause, and agree to reduce it to what a relief it would be. I sincerely we would all keep in everything would be lovely. so. Everybody will try to control their self and not be in general, until compelled out of line, and accept the fate Providence Journal.

BUCK. In this city, on the
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LINE BELMONT BUCK, da
General on Sunday, at 1230
h-m's, No. 331 Pennsylvania
of her age, she was found
late late David Dece, and the bel
Bressed are the pure in heart
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The relatives and friends of the
to attend her funeral from her r
247 Q street northwest, at the o
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FITCH. Died, at her residen
in this city, at 5 p. m., Decembe
short but painful illness. She
was 65 years of age.
Funeral at 2 p. m., Sunday, J
vised to attend without further
charge.

MARSH IRWIN. Wife of George
daughter of Colonel, Charles
of the 10th Maine, died at her
home, on Sunday, at 1230
Funeral will take place from
475 Q street southwest, Sunn

NEWBOLD. On the 24 inst. the lungs, **HILL**, second daughter, 10 years, died of pneumonia. Funeral will take place at 2 p. m. Friends of the family, to be met at the residence, 46 Myrtle street.

REEDERS. The funeral of **MRS. ANN REEDER**, late residence, No. 413 Main street, has been postponed on account of illness of the bereaved, at 12 o'clock, at Western street.

THOMAS. On the last inst. the lungs, **THOMAS**, aged 10 years. The friends and relatives of the deceased to attend his funeral to be met at the residence, 100 streets northwest.

WERT. On Tuesday evening the lungs, **WERT**, aged 10 years.

WILLMAN. On Wednesday, the 25 inst., the lungs, **WILLMAN**, aged 10 years. Funeral at his late residence, C. on Sunday, the 31, at 1 o'clock (Saturday, the 30, at 10 o'clock).

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THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That I have obtained from the District of Columbia, holding a S. P. of administration on the personal estate of one William C. Thompson, deceased. All persons having said decedent are hereby warned to show up the vouchers therefor, on or before the sixth day of December otherwise by law be excludd from said office. Given under my hand and seal of office.

NOTICE—PARTING WHO
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 H. C. AUSTIN, late of Wash
 of Columbia, deceased. All p
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 the subscriber, on or before the
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 from all benefit of the law
 hands this 18th day of December
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 T. G. O'NEILL
 FOR THE
 EXECUTOR